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THE PRESIDENT IS A GUEST OF TEXAS TODAY

Entertained at Dallas and Made an Ad- dress to Legislature of the Lone Star State.

Austin, Tex., April 6.—A reception on the steps of the capitol by Governor Langham, chief official of Texas, and an address to the legislature now in session, were the features of President Roosevelt's trip today.

Between here and Dallas, stops were made at Waco, Temple and Tyler.

The President in Texas.

Dallas, Tex., April 6.—President Roosevelt was last night guest of the Lone Star state. The special train bearing the president and party arrived in Dallas at 6:20 p. m. The chief executive was driven through the streets to a public stand near the Oriental hotel, where he delivered an address. The reception accorded the president was nothing short of a continuous ovation. After delivering his speech the president and party attended a dinner at the Oriental hotel tendered by the citizens of Dallas.

The president's train left for Waco, Austin and San Antonio at 5:40 this morning.

At Muskogee yesterday fully 10,000 people surrounded the railroad station. A stand draped in national colors, had been erected nearby and although the program did not call for a speech here, the president yielded to the loud acclaim of the people and made a brief address. His subject was, "Statehood," and enthusiastic applause greeted his utterance that Indian Territory would add its star to the galaxy of the states within a year.

Brief speeches were also made at South McAlester, Atoka, Cadco and Durant, after which the train crossed the state line into Texas. Denison was reached at 3:45 p. m. An immense crowd had gathered to greet the president, who was standing on the rear platform smiling and bowing his acknowledgments to the cheers which greeted him as soon as the train stopped.

A party of school children advanced to the platform and presented the president with a magnificent floral offering in the shape of a Texas flag. In presenting the floral offering Miss Pauline Everett, as spokeswoman, said: "In former times children strewed flowers in the pathway of Washington and Lafayette; today the school children of the first free public school building ever built in Texas give you this floral emblem signifying honor and integrity."

The president replied briefly. At Sherman one of the largest crowds of the day greeted the president. He spoke for fifteen minutes. Cannon boomed and the city was agitated in honor of the visitors.

From Sherman the train maintained its schedule to Dallas. The president was in splendid spirits after the long day's ride and shortly before reaching Dallas said, in answer to a question, that he never felt better in his life.

The president in his address here last night complimented the state as "The Garden of the World," praised its soldiers of the Civil war and urged the people to so conduct themselves that their children may "have the right to hold their head high." After urging the people to bring up their children with the idea that they must bear hardships, he said:

"What would you all have been fit for, you men who fought in the Civil war, if you had been trained up to believe that if you met a difficulty the proper thing was to lay down or run away; and you don't like, do you, for an occasionally foolish father—and I am sorry to say, an occasionally foolish mother—to bring up a boy or girl on the theory that all that is necessary is to have an easy time and dodge difficulties."

The president was the guest of honor at a banquet last night. The president made a characteristic speech in which he gave a definition

of what he meant by the expression of a "square deal for all." His definition was received with great applause, the demonstration lasting for several minutes. Later he was presented with a loving cup by the citizens of Dallas.

SNOW IN KENTUCKY

REPORTS SHOW THAT TEMPER- ATURE IS GETTING LOW.

Light Snow in Several Cities—Fruit May Be Damaged in Some Counties.

Louisville, Ky., April 6.—Reports from many Kentucky towns today show a sudden fall of temperature, and a light snow.

In Hopkinsville, Fulton and Paducah snowflakes were seen, being quite thick in Hopkinsville and Fulton.

In both places the flakes melted as soon as they hit the ground, but at Fulton they were as large as had been seen this winter.

In Christian county and perhaps other places, a temperature that is considered a menace to the fruit crop is recorded, but thus far it is not believed any damage has been done.

Snow in the Mountains.

London, Ky., April 6.—A heavy snowstorm this morning continued for an hour. There was frost last night, but the fruit is not killed.

TODAY'S MARKETS

Wheat—	Open.	Close.
May	1.18	1.17 1/2
July	88 1/2	88 1/2
Corn—		
May	48 1/2	48 1/4
July	48 1/4	48
Oats—		
May	30 1/2	30
July	30	29 1/2
Pork—		
May	12.97	12.82
Cotton—		
May	7.73	7.63
July	7.64	7.54
Aug	7.62	7.59
Oct.	7.79	7.70
Stocks—		
L. & N.	1.43 1/2	1.43 1/4
I. C.	1.60 1/2	1.62
T. C. I.	1.04	1.03

BLOODSHED IN A MUNICIPAL ELECTION

Huntington, W. Va., April 6.—The municipal election here today was marked with bloodshed.

A general battle occurred between policemen, Republican deputy sheriffs and Democrats.

More than forty shots were fired. One policeman was fatally injured and another received a flesh wound, while two deputy sheriffs were wounded.

A bystander was shot in the shoulder and seriously injured.

THREE HURT

By a Runaway Engine at Indian- apolis.

Indianapolis, April 6.—A Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton switch engine standing on a track at Moorefield was started by a miscreant, and ran into Indianapolis, where it collided with a Lake Erie and Western engine. The engines were wrecked and three men were injured.

Did Enemies of Joseph Leiter Cause the Zeigler Mine Explosion?

Zeigler, Ill., April 6.—After damp, due to the explosion of blasting powder set off by persons as yet unknown, caused the death of 43 miners at Leiter's coal mine last Monday, according to the verdict of the coroner's jury returned yesterday. The verdict declares the belief of the jurors that the death of the miners was the "result of after damp caused by a powder explosion," and "we

believe said explosion was caused by parties unknown."

The verdict also says: "We further believe that said mine was in good and safe condition for working purposes so far as gas was concerned on April 3, 1905."

This is the disaster which cost the life of Electrician C. W. Robinson, formerly of Paducah and son-in-law of Mr. J. Hamberger, of Paducah.

DERISIVE CRIES IN HOUSE OF COMMONS

Balfour Left Suddenly to Escape the Jeers.

Shouts of "Resign" Echoed All Over the Hall—The Scene Was Un- precedented.

BRIGHTON ELECTS A LIBERAL.

London, April 6.—The house of commons last night was the scene of a remarkable demonstration based upon the defeat of a government candidate in By election for Brighton, a constituency, which for 20 years, had not failed to return conservative or unionist candidates for parliament.

While a somewhat desultory and uninteresting debate was dragging on, there was a rush of opposition members from the lobbies, shouting with joy over a liberal victory in Brighton. The news was received with great cheering. Premier Balfour, who was just then entering the house, was greeted with shouts of "resign," "resign."

As soon as the demonstration subsided the debate continued and at its conclusion a motion was adopted asking the government's assistance in protecting cotton industries against the peril to which they are exposed by too great dependence upon the United States. Balfour quitted the house almost immediately.

On a motion to adjourn an extraordinary scene occurred. Lloyd-George (advanced liberal) said he had intended to question the premier on the fate that had befallen a member of the administration at Brighton. He complained that on receiving notice that the question would be raised the premier had deliberately left the house. The premier's discourtesy to the house, he said, was becoming absolutely offensive.

Several members spoke, supporting Lloyd-George and declaring the government ought to resign.

Winston Churchill said it looked like the beginning of the end and that it was a retribution for the government's shams and shuffles and for the manner in which the premier had treated parliament.

A DISPUTE

OVER WHO'S ENTITLED TO RE- WARD FOR THE NEGRO.

Inquest Held Yesterday Afternoon in Livingston County—Body Taken to Fulton.

A dispute has arisen, it is understood, as to who is entitled to the reward for the negro who shot Officer W. Y. Eaker at Fulton early this week. The remains of the negro who committed suicide near Gravel Switch yesterday, are in the hands of a Fulton undertaker and it has not been decided what disposition will be made of them.

The body was readily identified there as that of the negro who shot the officer. It is understood that persons from Gilbertsville, Paducah and Mayfield all claim the reward, which aggregates \$400.

The other two negroes are still in jail in Hickman and it is understood will be vigorously prosecuted as accessories to the shooting of Officer Eaker. They admit that they were present, but claim they had nothing to do with the shooting.

The inquest was held in Livingston county yesterday afternoon at Gravel Switch, and the verdict rendered was as follows:

"We, the jury, being duly sworn to inquire into the death of Waddie Hutchinson, whose dead body lies before us, do find from the evidence before us that he came to his death by a gunshot wound inflicted by his own hand. We further find he is the man wanted for shooting Officer Young Eaker, of Fulton, Ky., Monday, April 3, while said officer was in the discharge of his duty."

(Signed) W. C. SEXTON.
R. E. HICKS.
GEO. SHERIDAN.
J. D. STOLLS.
ARTHUR VINSON.
F. A. BYRD.

The body was placed aboard a train and taken to Fulton, to be identified and was in charge of Leo Wickert, one of the men who were in pursuit of the negro when he was outstripped and forced to commit suicide.

A message was received at Fulton by the undertakers today about noon from the wife of the dead negro, stat-

ing that she would arrive in Fulton at noon, and would take the remains to Memphis for burial.

Officer Eaker is reported still resting easy at Memphis, with good chances to recover.

A report freely circulated today, and telegraphed out of Fulton last night, is that the negro was killed by the posse, but it is not true, if the statement of the men in the posse are correct. If they shot the negro there is no reason they should deny it, as they would have been justified in it under the circumstances.

The negro may have been hit by the posse in the fusillade, but the bullet which ended his life he fired himself when he saw there was no chance to escape.

His pockets contained 90 cents in money, a gold ring, and a box of bandages and plasters.

The Memphis Commercial-Appeal of today says that Officer Eaker will recover. The doctors in the sanitarium there say he will get well rapidly, the wounds not being as serious as at first supposed.

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O JUDGE TALTY WILL CON-
O TEST IN ST. LOUIS.
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O St. Louis, April 6.—Judge
O Talty, Republican candidate
O for mayor, has announced
O that he will contest the re-
O election of Mayor Wells, dem-
O ocrat, on the ground of fraud.
O Wells' majority was 1,425.
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THE FATHER CAME

SO HIS SON COULD WED GIRL OF HIS CHOICE.

The Unusual Termination of an Elopement of Kentucky Couple to Cairo, Ill.

Cairo, Ill., April 6.—Lee Adam Rothrock, aged 20, and Miss Allie B. Cull, aged 22, applied to County Clerk Miller yesterday for a license to wed. The young man was greatly discouraged when he learned that he could not secure the necessary document, according to the state laws until he had reached his majority, without his parents' consent.

The prospective bride, however, was equal to the occasion and she called up her prospective father-in-law over the long distance phone and finally persuaded him to come over to Cairo on the next boat and give his consent and witness the ceremony. All of the parties were from Wickliffe.

Two hours later the young man's father put in his appearance at the court house. Rev. C. E. Moore of Clinton, Ky., who came along with the couple, was on hand and a few moments later "tied the knot" in the county clerk's office.

NO INVESTIGATION

Of Books of the Sheriff For the Year 1902.

A report was current today to the effect that Inspector H. B. Hines had written Sheriff Lee D. Potter to secure the 1902 collection books that he may investigate into them, but this proved erroneous.

Inspector Hines on the contrary, has written that he has abandoned the idea of investigation of these books because of the fact that it was in 1902 that the state board of equalization raised the assessment and it would cause general confusion.

THIRTY-NINE.

Out of 70 Aldermen Assured Municipal Ownership Force.

Chicago, April 6.—Six Republican aldermen say they will support Mayor-elect Dunne and the program, which will assure the immediate municipal ownership force at least 39 of the 70 aldermen.

Attorney Frank Lucas, who has been at Covington, Ky., for the past three months collecting taxes by filing suits as auditor's agent, returned this morning. He filed many suits at Covington and nearly all were compromised. His commission amounts to 20 per cent, and he cleared quite a neat profit from his three months' work.

Big Contract to Be Let.

Washington, April 6.—Bids were opened at the navy department for eighty-six three-inch guns. This will be the largest contract for guns of this calibre ever let by the government.

Goes Over Until October.

Cincinnati, O., April 6.—The U. S. circuit court of appeals formally decided today that the appeal in the case of Mrs. Cassie Chadwick will not be heard until the October term.

A BLOODY MURDER IN SAN FRANCISCO

Headless and Armless Trunk Found in a Blanket.

Snow in Indiana—Fire in Indiana Sanitarium—Chicago Strikers Lose Their Fight.

CHICAGO SUES THE OCTOPUS

San Francisco, April 6.—Strapped in a blanket, the body of a youth with head, arms and legs below the knees missing, was found at the street corner last night. The body was still warm and quivering, and the blood, with which the blanket was saturated, was still wet. A boy said he saw a man, of whom he gave a description, place the bundle on the sidewalk. Detectives say they believe the crime the work of the Mafia.

Snowstorm in Indiana.

Ft. Wayne, April 6.—A heavy snowstorm is sweeping over Northern Indiana this morning and the temperature is 28.

Four Killed By Gas.

New York, April 6.—An aged woman and three children were found dead in bed in a tenement this morning, having been suffocated by inhaling illuminating gas.

Abbott Sanitarium Burned.

Mineral Wells, Ind., April 6.—The Abbott sanitarium was burned to the ground early this morning entailing a loss of thirty-five thousand dollars. The manager and wife leaped from the second story and escaped the flames. Two adjoining residences were burned.

Strikers Lost the Fight.

Chicago, April 6.—Four hundred men who have been on a strike in the sheet mill of the Inland Steel Co. at Indiana Harbor, Ind., have returned to work under open shop rules. The strikers suffer a cut of 2 per cent in wages.

Indians Still On Warpath.

El Paso, Tex., April 6.—John St. Clair, a well known prospector whose statements are considered reliable has returned from the Yaqui country near Ures and Sonora, and reports the Indians still on the warpath and devastating the country.

Fire in Iowa.

Akron, Iowa, April 6.—Fire here burned out six business firms. Loss, \$50,000; insurance, \$33,000. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Want Only \$40,000.

Chicago, April 6.—The city has filed suit for \$40,000 against the Standard Oil company. The bill is based on the alleged non-payment of inspection fees by the company. It is claimed that the company has for years refused to pay for inspections of petroleum and that the ordinance regulating commerce in naphtha and gasoline. Representatives of the Standard Oil company hold that gasoline and naphtha are not products of petroleum and that the ordinance does not apply.

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL.

Will Be Substituted For the Revenue Agent.

Frankfort, Ky., April 6.—Circuit Judge Stout has sustained a motion of Attorney General Hays that the name of the attorney general be substituted for revenue agent A. M. Harrison, of Lexington, as plaintiff for the state in eighty-four petitions recently filed in the state fiscal court here against rectifiers of spirits for the recovery of license taxes imposed by the legislative act of 1904.

The motion of the attorney general was for the purpose of settling the question of who has authority to file such suits for the state.

MAY DIE.

Negro Prisoner Transferred From Jail to the City Hospital Today.

Neb Banks, colored, charged with grand larceny, was released from jail this morning on account of bad health and taken to the city hospital for treatment.

Banks several months ago was arrested for stealing a grip full of clothes, the property of Mrs. John Stocum, and it is alleged soon after being jailed began to eat broken glass and soap. He managed to break his health and this morning was so ill that he could not get up.

Judge Reed ordered him taken to the city hospital which was done about 10 o'clock this morning. It is thought the negro will die.

Banks will this afternoon be re-

moved to the county poor farm, because it is said this is the proper place for him.

The city and county have from time to time clashed over pest house cases and when Banks was taken to the city hospital this morning, was taken there with no permit other than the verbal instructions from the jailer or judge. He was conveyed to the hospital in the patrol wagon and if possible to move him in his present condition, will be taken away this afternoon.

LOST HER LIFE

In Order to Be the Champion Rope Jumper.

New York, April 6.—Louise Rivers, of New Rochelle, eleven years old, sacrificed her life in a successful effort to become the skipping rope champion of her neighborhood.

To jump the rope 200 times has long been the championship record of the district. The child had often tried in vain to exceed it. When she began jumping in her vast attempt Louise looked as well as usual. As she approached the 200-mark she doggedly kept on jumping. At 218 the girl fell, screaming with pain, and died shortly afterward at the hospital. The doctors found she had been attacked by acute appendicitis.

REPORTED ATTEMPT

To Wreck an Illinois Central Train in Graves County.

Mayfield, Ky., April 6.—An attempt was made Tuesday afternoon to wreck the afternoon south-bound passenger train four miles north of here, near Hickory Grove, and a large bolt, twelve inches long, was spiked down across the rail and two large rocks were also placed on the track about 300 yards apart. Section hands discovered the rocks and bolt and made a report to Superintendent Gavin, of Fulton, who is making a thorough investigation.

PROMINENT MAN.

John B. England Dies at His Home in Calloway.

Murray, April 6.—John B. England one of the oldest and most respected citizens of Calloway county, died suddenly at his home near the city yesterday. He was eighty-five years old and was one of the first county clerks Calloway ever had. He was the leader of the republican party of the county and had several times been nominated for representative.

IN THREE WEEKS

BIDS WILL BE OPENED FOR THIRD STREET WORK.

Board of Works Held a Brief and Unimportant Meeting Yes- terday.

President Noble was absent from the regular meeting of the board of public works yesterday afternoon and for that reason little business was transacted.

It was decided to open bids for the Third street reconstruction contract on April 26th, three weeks from yesterday. The work of preparing the plans and specifications has been delayed because of the failure of the general council to design how wide Broad street is to be.

The new roller the city recently purchased is here and will be unloaded as soon as a man from the factory arrives to superintend the work.

The board is to have an ordinance presented shortly prohibiting spitting on the market house floor and may later extend it to all other public places.

50 TRUE BILLS

Found Against the Standard Oil Co. in Winchester, Ky.

Winchester, Ky., April 6.—Fifty indictments were returned against the Standard Oil company today, alleging various violations of the city license ordinance.

Unabsorbed Morphine in Stomachs Was Enough to Have Killed Children

County Physician J. W. Pendley this morning received a letter from Dr. Vernon Robbins, city chemist at Louisville, giving the result of his analysis of the three stomachs taken from the Brockwell children here for the purpose of determining what really killed them.

Dr. Robbins stated he had made a thorough test of the stomachs and found them to contain morphine.

DRASTIC STEPS TO RESTRAIN MASSES

Revolutionary Russians are Be- ing Tried by Court Martial.

The Guilty Will Be Hanged—Up- heavals Threatened in Many Russian Cities.

NO SIGNS OF PEACE YET

St. Petersburg, April 6.—According to dispatches from Manchuria, a Japanese detachment is advancing on the Russian position on several roads. This may mean that active hostilities on a large scale will be resumed shortly.

Drastic Steps.

Warsaw, April 6.—Harsh measures are being adopted by the authorities to put an end to international dissensions in Poland. Orders have been issued that participants in the recent disturbance shall be tried by court-martial. Two workmen have already been tried in this manner and condemned to be hanged.

Twenty-Eight Poisoned.

St. Petersburg, April 6.—Sixty hands employed in a factory here suddenly swooned today, having been poisoned in some mysterious manner. Physicians were summoned but are unable to trace the cause of the sudden illness. Twenty-eight are in a critical condition.

Broke Up a Funeral.

Warsaw, April 6.—In anticipation of the funeral of the girl who died of wounds received in the fighting in Dzik street on Sunday, workmen of all the factories in the northern part of the city left their work yesterday afternoon and crowded Elekoralna and Leszno streets. The police, fearing a hostile demonstration, forbade the funeral and summoned Cossacks, who, using their knouts and swords, finally succeeded in dispersing the gathering.

Owing to the closing of the universities of Warsaw, 1600 students were dismissed. All the students whose conscription was postponed during their university year will be compelled to serve now.

Police and military made a further house to house visitation in the suburb of Wola Tuesday night, where they arrested fourteen persons, and discovered great quantities of revolutionary proclamations.

Russia Gets Reply.

Washington, April 6.—Russia has been informed by the United States that so far as the American minister at Peking, Conger has been able to find out, the reported anti-foreign movements in China are not unusual in extent or character. This was in response to the Russian government's request that Secretary Hay inquire into the matter, which was cause of some of the anxiety in St. Petersburg.

Slayer of Sergius Identified.

St. Petersburg, April 6.—The identity of the slayer of Grand Duke Sergius is established. His name is Kalafief and he is son of the police inspector of Warsaw. He was once a student at St. Petersburg University and was expelled for participating in the political troubles.

Mound City Man in Luck.

Springfield, Ill., April 6.—Judge Francis M. Wright of Champaign, judge of the new eastern district of Illinois of the United States court, yesterday appointed Daniel Hogan of Mound City, clerk of his court, with headquarters in Danville.

Eighty Per Cent Killed.

London, April 6.—A dispatch from Lahore says that 80 per cent of the population of Dharmasala, a hill station which suffered so seriously in the earthquake, were killed.

—Presiding Elder J. H. Roberts of the Paducah District, will hold quarterly conference at the Broadway Methodist church this evening.